


In re Appln. of SUGARU et al.  
Application No. Unassigned

*REMARKS*

The claims have been amended to comport with U.S. patent practice by removing multiply-dependent claims being dependent on other multiply-dependent claims. No new matter has been added by way of these claim amendments.

The application is considered in good and proper form for allowance, and the Examiner is respectfully requested to pass this application to issue. If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of the subject application, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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